EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTIONAL AND REMEDIAL SOFTWARE
FOR SOL INSTRUCTION

The purpose of the review is to provide school divisions participating in the Standards of Learning Web-based Technology Initiative with evaluations and correlation of technology-based materials for instruction and remediation. The software review committee of a school division has reviewed the product and submitted the review.

- A school division submits only reviews of software/Web sites that are found to be effective for instruction and/or remediation.

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PRODUCT INFORMATION

- Title: Starry Night

- Version #: 5

- Copyright Date: 1999

- Title of Series:

- Title of Component [module], if applicable:

- Publisher/producer: Sienna Software

- System Requirements: WIN/MAC

Standards Of Learning Correlations And Degree Of Correlation With the Content of the Software Product

SCIENCE:

☒ Earth Science SOL #ES14(Exceptional), SOL #ES4(Moderate)

UTILIZATION AND TEACHER PREPARATION

Excellent for Astronomy; covers all parts for astronomy class.

<u>Type and degree of teacher training required to support effective utilization of the software/Web site.</u>

Teacher training - familiarity with CD-ROM

Vendor teacher training available for this product - Not sure
If "YES," is cost: an additional charge; is training: on-site with company presenter; quality of training: meet expectations

Your additional comments:

TECHNICAL ASPECTS and TEACHER SUPPORT MATERIALS

Indicate if the software/Web site has been reviewed in either of the following sources:

- In *EvaluTech* (http://www.evalutech.sreb.org/) - Yes or No: Yes
- if yes - date reviewed: 07/15/01 – Starry Night Pro, Version 3.1

- In *Educational Software Preview Guide* (ISTE) (http://www.pen.k12.va.us/VDOE/Technology/imt.html) - Yes or No: No

- if yes - date reviewed: